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WORST SHOCKS IN MANY YEARS

Earthquakes Caused Enormous
Damage in Mexico.

TWO CITIES ARE DESTROYED

Chilpancingo and Acapulco Laid Waste.
In Addition to the Ruins Caused by
the Earthquake, the People of Aca-
pulco Now Face a Famine—Country
Residents Afraid to Bring Produce to
Town.

Mexico City, Aug. 2.—Details which are beginning to arrive from the state of Guerrero show that the recent serious earthquakes in the valley of Mexico and along the Pacific coast were the worst experienced in many years. It is now certain that the towns of Acapulco and Chilpancingo have been practically destroyed. What the earthquake of Friday failed to do was accomplished by the stronger one of Saturday, which either levelled or rendered uninhabitable every building in the two places. In addition to the ruin caused by the earthquake, Acapulco now faces a famine. All of the markets were destroyed in the shocks of Saturday and the country people are afraid to bring more produce into the town. The people are camping in the public squares.

The few buildings that remain standing are being levelled by dynamite as they are little more than tottering walls that are constantly falling as new shocks come.

During the heavy shock Saturday, the water in the harbor receded a distance of thirty-three feet and then rushed back, covering the docks and piers, causing considerable damage. The people are suffering not only from lack of food, but also from exposure. The tents in the public squares and streets do not serve to keep off the heavy rains which fall at this season. Funds are being raised in Mexico City to relieve the distressed of Guerrero.

In Mexico City the shock of Saturday was heavier than any yet experienced. As the work of examination continues, more and more evidence of damage is found, though so far as known no lives were lost in the last agitation. Many tourists who were staying at the local hotels are leaving for the United States.

PUZZLES CHICAGO POLICE

Motor Boat Tragedy Shrouded in Mystery.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—The drowning of an unidentified woman and the disappearance of her male companion are the elements of a motor boat tragedy that confronted the local police. A man and a woman were seen going down the Calumet river in a motor boat. Later the boat was found stuck in the mud near shore with the engines still chugging away at full speed. The police were notified and after dragging the river the body of the woman was found, but there was no trace of the man.

The fact that the launch was found with dry decks and its engines still going dispels any theory that the boat capsized.

SIX PERISH IN THE WATER

All But One Lose Their Lives While Bathing.

Boston, Aug. 2.—Six deaths by drowning was the record of one day in Massachusetts. All, with one exception, lost their lives while bathing.

Samuel C. Lee, a salesman, and Charles Hambro, a liquor dealer, met death while bathing in the mill pond at the rear of the Acme Thread company's works in Sharon.

The other victims were Mrs. Fred Tidale of Springfield, drowned in Hart pond, in South Chelmsford; Joseph Bottomley of Lowell, drowned while bathing at Salisbury beach; Nathan Baine of Pittsfield, drowned in Onota lake; August Minden, a baker of Gardner, drowned in Lake Dennison.

ANNUAL RELIABILITY TOUR

Won by the Automobile Driven by W. F. Winchester.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 2.—Pierce Arrow car No. 9, driven by W. F. Winchester, with a perfect score, won the Glidden trophy in the annual reliability tour of the American Automobile association, which ended here Friday evening, according to official announcement made here.

Pierce Arrow No. 108, driven by J. S. Williams, won the Hower trophy with a perfect score.

Chalmers Detroit car No. 52, driven by Jean Bemp, won the Detroit trophy with a score of 142.

WILL BECOME A LAW THIS WEEK

Tariff Bill May Be Disposed of Before Friday.

DEBATE MAY NOT BE LENGTHY

Senators Not Likely to Talk as Long as Had Been Expected on the Conference Report, Which Senator Aldrich is Determined Shall Not Be Carried Over Into Next Week—Democrats Will Not Filibuster.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Unless something happens to provoke heated discussions of a political character, the new tariff bill should be enacted into law and the extraordinary session of congress adjourned before the end of the present week. Inquiry among senators opposed to the adoption of the conference report on the Payne-Aldrich bill indicates that the debate will not be as extended as it threatened to be before the conferees' report.

The senate session probably will begin at 10 o'clock each day and will continue until 6 or 7 o'clock daily until the report is adopted.

If it is found that more senators desire to speak than have already given notice it is possible that evening sessions may be held.

Senator Aldrich is determined that the conference report shall not be carried over into next week. He does not expect to occupy very much time himself. He said that he would not speak longer than an hour or two and that other members of the committee would occupy comparatively little time. It is probable that senators who were opposed to the placing of hides on the free list will have something to say on that subject and that all of the Republicans who voted against the bill when it was on its passage in the senate will take occasion to explain their action. Some of these senators will vote for the adoption of the conference report and some of them are expected to vote in the negative.

The wreck occurred at Coldwater, Ida., a small station twenty-five miles east of Spokane.

Many persons from Eastern states were on the trains, having come to Spokane to register for the Indian land opening. The official list of dead and injured has been given out. The dead are:

Orville Puerbaugh, Elkhart, Ind.; W. J. House, Scotia, Wash.; William W. Onsette, Harrington, Wash.; A. P. Whitley, Memphis, Tenn.; William Ward, Wenatchee, Wash.; John Verne, Springfield, Mo.; Dallas Golden, Spokane, Wash.; W. A. Dahlquist, Estherville, Ia.; J. C. Cox, Medical Lake, Wash.; A. B. McDonald, Drummond, Mont.; Mrs. A. B. McDonald, Drummond, Mont.; Fred McGarry, Spokane, Wash.

Among the injured are many who live in states east of here:

Daniel Carmody, Chicago; P. M. Waters, Pleasant Lake, N. D.; Guy Tomlinson, Mullenville, Kan.; Arthur Marvin, Victoria, Mont.; Charles Osborne, Freeport, Ill.; Mrs. Charles Osborne, Freeport, Ill.; C. P. Van Zandt, Harrisonville, Mo.; E. L. Dixon, Norfolk, Neb.; Carl Wilson, Missoula, Mont.

Many of the injured were brought to Spokane hospitals on a special train from Coeur d'Alene.

Arrangements for burying the dead are delayed pending word from relatives in different parts of the United States.

Mrs. Launceford of Spokane, one of the injured, says that when she recovered consciousness in the wreckage she was held down under the body of a man whose skull was crushed and she heard some one saying, "Leave them alone, they are dead, get out the live ones."

She managed to struggle free unassisted.

Governor Johnson in Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 2.—Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, accompanied by a military staff, arrived here on his special train from Spokane. The party was met at the station by the committee in charge of Minnesota day at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, Aug. 3. Governor Johnson is to be the orator of the day.

TWO END THEIR OWN LIVES

Woman and Man Commit Suicide in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 2.—Mrs. Thomas S. Paxton, wife of the cashier of the Atlas bank of Neligh, Neb., committed suicide by hanging herself in her room in a Lincoln sanitarium.

Edgar Stahley, one of the best known young men in the county, killed himself near Lincoln. He left a note saying he did not care to live longer.

She—Do you think she loves him?

He—Desperately.

She—Why desperately?

He—Because he's her last chance.

LADIES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS



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"Round-Up" Sale

Thru this door.

THOUSANDS ARE HOMELESS

Osaka Fire Victims Also Suffer From Hunger.

Osaka, Japan, Aug. 2.—Confusion still prevails here as a result of Saturday's disastrous fire. Thousands of persons are homeless and hunger is staring many of them in the face.

A system of relief has been organized by the municipal authorities, but it is inadequate to supply all needs. Outside cities and towns are generously sending in contributions to be used in alleviating the sufferings of the homeless and destitute. The number of casualties has not yet been determined, but hundreds of injured persons are crowding the hospitals.

The latest estimate is that 20,000 buildings were destroyed, these including banks, the stock exchange, the museum, government edifices and factories. While at present it is impossible accurately to state the losses, these are given roughly at several million yen. It is feared that some of the insurance companies will fail as a result of the heavy losses they will have to pay.

The conflagration lasted more than twenty-five hours and the burned section presents a deplorable sight. The streets of the city are very narrow and the houses were mostly of wood construction. Under a strong breeze therefore, the buildings were easy prey for the flames, which jumped from one to another with great rapidity. Once hope was almost abandoned that the conflagration could be checked. The firemen fought gallantly against the odds of lack of water, and high wind and many of them fell unconscious while working bravely at their posts. Had not the water supply been curtailed by the existing drought it is believed the fire would have been quenched without great damage.

During the fire the greatest confusion prevailed among the spinning girls in the factory quarter, but fortunately no serious loss of life occurred there.

The belongings of the people who were able to save anything from their burning homes are piled in great heaps along the railroad tracks from Osaka to Kobe, where they were removed when the fire broke out.

An area of over four miles square,

containing some of the city's hand-

somest structures, including the Bud-

dhist temple, the largest in the world,

was entirely burned over before the

fire was under control. The stock

exchange, which was one of the most

important in this country, was de-

stroyed. This loss, it is believed, will

tend considerably to dislocate the

business of Osaka, which, with its

manufacturing concerns, is one of the

chief commercial cities of Japan.

FATHER REFUSED THEIR AID

Drowned While His Sons Saved Another Man.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 2.—"Don't bother about me; I can swim; save Dr. Beuchel," said George Ratterman, a prosperous merchant, to his two sons when they plunged into the Ohio river to rescue him. While the sons were obeying the injunction and saving Dr. E. J. Beuchel, who with the elder Ratterman had been thrown into the water from a capsized canoe, Ratterman drowned in plain view of his wife and daughter. The frantic signals of the women to the sons were not understood until it was too late.

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By Miss Hoffbauer.
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EVELYN THAW is to get a divorce from Harry in the Nevada courts. Is she afraid he is about to regain his liberty?

WITH hides on the free list and the announcement that "Roosevelt has two thousand skins," did it ever occur to you that Teddy's hide was never on the fence?

THE Moorhead Independent has issued a prosperity edition which thoroughly covers the situation in that city and the country adjacent and is a credit to its publishers.

EX-GOV. VAN SANT is a candidate for commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. The election takes place at Salt Lake City during the grand encampment which convenes in that city the week of August 9th.

A NEW YORK man has been fined \$1 for laughing at a policeman, and a Washington court has acquitted Senator Stone for slapping a negro porter because his meals were not served promptly. Law is law, apparently, wherever it is administered.

THE editor of the Mora Times thinks that a ten day's session of the legislature this fall to redistrict the state and arrange matters so the people can say how their money will be expended would be a proper move. Bro. Rines was a member of the last house and he evidently yearns to get back to the old haunts of the legislators. There would be plenty of work to occupy at least ten days if the extra session should be called.

THE coming style in women's hats are called Russian toques, over a foot and a half tall, made of fur and the apex crowned with a aigrette. The wearer is expected to remove the monumental design in theatres and churches and reveal a bunch of hair tightly coiled that will not be wide enough to obstruct the view of the stage or pulpit. How do you like the description and the prospects?

THERE is going to be a stronger effort made in this section than ever this fall to protect the game until it is legal to kill it. Too many times those who believe in game protection are denied the privilege of a successful hunt because they have waited until the open season begins only to find that the fellows have been systematically cleaning up the birds and enjoying them. Some one is going to get caught at it this fall, if the program is carried out.

FEW people are thoroughly satisfied with their station in life and most of them have some one in mind whom they would like to trade places with. The average farmer after years of toil, after he has gotten his estate in shape and his children well settled, thinks of "moving to town" and enjoying the remainder of his life in ease and comfort. On the other hand the man who has spent the greater part of his life in the town or city dreams of a country residence and the comforts of a rural home.

MORRISON county has received word from the highway commission that they will receive the free crushed rock to be given by the state for test road building in two weeks. The county commissioners by resolution asked for the rock and it is forthcoming. No county in the state is in position to appreciate a few miles of good roads any better than Crow Wing—the rock is at St. Cloud and can be had free for the asking. Wouldn't it be a good idea to get some of the road material for this county at once?

AND now some of the newspapers are calling it the "state circus" instead of the state fair. The reported offer of \$25,000 by the secretary to the Wright brothers and the Frenchman who recently "flew" across the English channel, for a contest, has so much the ear-marks of circus advertising that it has been mistaken. The Minnesota fair is one of the greatest the country produces, in the line of agricultural as well as other displays, and the trend should be more toward state resources and possibilities than amusements that remind one of a circus.

THE report of the Minnesota Game and Fish Commission for the biennial period ending Dec. 1st, 1908, has been received, and it is a volume that would be credit to any man's library, more especially if he is a lover of the woods and game and its protection. The book is illustrated and many of the subjects are flashlight photos taken in the northern woods where game abounds to that extent that it can be shot with the camera as well as the gun, the difference being that it is open season all year 'round for the former—and to

many a much more pleasant experience than the slaughter with the gun. Much valuable information is contained in the report and it does credit to Carlos Avery, the efficient executive agent of the commission.

THINK back thirty years and see how many of your farmer friends you can remember as having top buggies, even the spring buggy was a novelty and it was made to carry the entire family and the farm wagon was more often the only means of conveyance. Today a farm wagon in a funeral procession would be a novelty. Scarcely a farm of any pretensions that does not support its rubber tired top buggy, while in the east and middle west where road conditions are good even the farmer occasionally supports an automobile, which in connection with his telephone and rural mail delivery makes life worth living. Farm life is not what it used to be in the days of our grandfathers. We are living in a much faster age, and as an exchange remarks we spend more money for suspenders and socks than our forefathers did for their Sunday clothes.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Weeks repairs guns. 307 6th S.

Awnings! Awnings! at D. M. Clark & Co. 234tf

Ice cream and fruits at the Refreshment Tent. 46tf

Orne sells rugs on easy payments at the Singer store. 25tf

J. M. Quinn went to Little Falls this afternoon on business.

Tony Algrim went to Backus Saturday night to spend Sunday.

Dr. Wm. Reid, of Deerwood, was in the city today on business.

Alderman Cardie went to McGregor Sunday morning for a short outing.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 151tf

Miss Lane went to Bemidji Saturday night for a visit with friends in that city.

Charles Bush returned today from Bimiji, where he has been staying for some time.

Mrs. S. F. Alderman went to Hubert today to be a guest at Leon E. Lum's house party.

Go to the Refreshment Tent for 3 p. m. coffee. 46tf

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Patek went to their cottage at Hubert Saturday night to spend Sunday.

Stone is being hauled for Fred Aspholm's new house at the corner of Fir and Tenth streets.

Elmer Hetting came down today from an over Sunday visit at the Hall cottage at Nisswa.

Elmer and Julius Dahl returned yesterday from a week's fishing trip in the Michigan copper country.

P. F. McQuillan, of Aitkin, was in the city today on his way home from a brief visit to the twin cities.

F. E. Oberg and N. P. Emil Carlson, of Deerwood, were in Brainerd today on their way to the twin cities.

Mrs. Joseph Golemboski and family left today noon for Fond du Lac, Wis., for a month's visit with relatives.

The Northern Pacific is having a small house erected over the scale beam of the yard scales in this city.

Phone D. M. Clark & Co., to get your lawn mower repaired and sharpened. Satisfaction guaranteed. 251tf

Mr. and Mrs. John Cochran went to Cass Lake today for week's outing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Kemp.

Weeks repairs Bicycles. 307 6th S.

Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is delicious. We have the agency. Order a case. Telephone 164 John Coates Liquor Co.

Mons Mahlum and family returned today from Hubert where they have been for some time enjoying the lake breezes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinkle, of Walker, were in the city today enroute to Seattle to attend the Alaska-Yukon exposition.

For a good investment BUY A LOT at Deerwood, Minn. For sale by J. H. Kreckelberg, 202 Citizens Bank Bldg. Phone 210. 13-1f

Dr. H. L. Bruns went to his home in Anoka today after having spent Sunday with F. S. Parker and family at Parkerville.

Miss Gertrude Slipp came up from Minneapolis today to spend her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maria L. Slipp.

E. Masson and family, of Deerwood, returned today from St. Anne, Ill., where the family has been visiting for several months.

D. C. Herbert is treat the exterior of his depot lunch room to a coat of paint which is improving its appearance very much.

Mrs. Frank Slipp and little one returned today to their home in Bemidji, after a week's visit with her husband's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cunningham mourn the death of a three-days' old babe, which died Friday and was buried Saturday morning.

D. M. Clark & Co. the oldest installation house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms. 251tf

Rev. D. J. Growe, of Fergus Falls, who spent Sunday in this city, went to Whitefish lake today for a visit at the home of a daughter.

J. P. Saunders, custodian of the fish hatchery at Dearwood, came down last night and went to the twin cities this morning on business.

Peter M. Torgaard, who came from Mohall, N. D., last week with the remains of Mrs. Torgaard for burial, returned to his home today.

J. G. Dawes, of Pine River, transacted business in Brainerd today, coming down on the forenoon train and returning in the afternoon.

A. Q. Parker came down today noon from Hubert, after spending Sunday at the home of Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spalding.

Miss Agnes Schilling, of Minneapolis, returned home today after having visited for some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fallon.

Mrs. W. S. Orne and Miss Edna and J. B. Williams and Miss Maud went to Minneapolis this morning for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Rohne repairs bicycles. 451mo

Miss Eva Young, of Chicago, and Miss Clara Young, of Mt. Gilead, Ohio, arrived this afternoon to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland.

Will trade in cook and heating stoves, and furniture. E. J. Rohne. 451mo

Miss Hilma Nygard, of Staples, returned home today after having been here over Sunday to attend the anniversary of the Northwestern hospital.

W. E. James, manager of Oberg Brothers' ice cream parlor at Deerwood, was in the city today on his way home from a short visit to the twin cities.

G. W. Holland left Sunday afternoon for Fargo and other North Dakota points to look after his property interests in that state. He expects to be absent about a week.

Manager Hall, of the Braided opera house, announces the musical extravaganza, "The Cat and the Fiddle" as one of the attractions to be put on the latter part of August.

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Mrs. Olga Lindahl, one of the Northern Pacific hospital staff at Brainerd, is in the city spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henning Landahl.—Little Falls Transcript.

Carl Wright and his bride arrived here this morning, having been married at the home of her parents July 20th. They will reside at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Wright for the present.

Joe Rasch and family have returned from Lima, Miss., where he had charge of a saw mill. He was making good money there but his family did not like the country there and decided to return to Minnesota.

D. M. Clark & Co.'s new stock to wall paper just arrived. Price 10c of 25c double roll. 22tf

Robert Clark and James Alderman returned this morning from a camping outing trip to Hubert. Robert says they caught the biggest string of bass ever taken out of Hubert lake, but he has not "shown us."

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Porter and Mrs. M. J. Hart, of LeRoy, Minn., who have been spending some time at Walker, stopped off today for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Dunn while on their way home.

Mrs. Charlotte Risk and Miss Amy Risk, of LaMoure, N. D., grandmother and sister of Mrs. Charles Frost, spent Sunday at the Frost home, while on their way to Indiana to visit. They continued on their visit this afternoon.

Neil O'Brien is back from Maple Grove, where he spent ten days relieving Walker Caughey, who has charge of the O'Brien Mercantile Company's ranch in that town, while Mr. Caughey was in the city, called here by the sickness and death of his father.

James Cullen, Miss Mamie Cullen and W. H. Koop arrived home Sunday morning from Spokane, Missoula and Couer d'Alene, where they went to register for homesteads in the various Indian reservations. The drawings will all take place at Couer d'Alene, August 9th.

D. M. Clark & Co. have a new method of putting rubber tires on go-carts. 251tf

Mrs. Wm. H. Colvert after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Winters will leave Tuesday morning for San Francisco, Cal., where she will be joined by her husband. After a short visit there with friends they will return to their home in Los Angeles.

L. Bourszak, of the new city of Bourszak, was in the city today. He states that the Mahlum Lumber Company sent the first car load of lumber

White Bros.

T. L. Blood's Paints

Are the

PASSENGER WAS DELAYED BY WRECK

Train From Duluth Tied up Nearly Three Hours by Freight Wreck Sunday

CAR WENT INTO THE LAKE A Car of Pulp and a Car of Ties Derailed by the Breaking of Flanges

The passenger train from the east Sunday was delayed until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon by reason of a freight wreck about two and one-half miles this side of Aitkin. The flanges on one wheel of each of two trucks gave way and the cars left the track. One car of pulp left the embankment entirely and went into Dogfish lake, alongside the track. A car of ties was also derailed. The accident occurred about 7:30 in the morning and it was after 2 in the afternoon before the track was cleared.

No one was hurt and there was little damage to rolling stock outside the two cars which were derailed.

CONTEST OF WORLD ANGLERS

Tournament to Be Held at Van Cortlandt Park, New York, in August.

The Anglers' Club of New York, under whose auspices the third international tournament of the National Association of Scientific Angling Clubs for fly and bait casters will be held, has perfected all the details for the event, which will be held at Van Cortlandt park, New York, on Aug. 19, 20 and 21. The headquarters for the contestants during the tournament will be at the Grand Union hotel. On the evening of Aug. 18 a meeting of the executive committee of the National association will be held, and on Aug. 21 there will be the annual business meeting of the association. The schedule of the tournament has been arranged as follows:

First Day—9 a. m., accuracy, quarter ounce; 1 p. m., distance fly, with five ounce rods; 4 p. m., distance, quarter ounce, average of five casts.

Second Day—9 a. m., dry fly, accuracy; 11 a. m., accuracy, fly; 1 p. m., distance, half ounce, average of five casts; 4 p. m., distance, fly, weight of rods unlimited.

Third Day—9 a. m., accuracy, half ounce; 1 p. m., salmon fly; 2 p. m., surf casting with two and one-half ounce weight, average of five casts.

A special medal will be awarded for the longest cast made in each of the following events: Distance, quarter ounce and half ounce and surf casting.

Airship With Rowing Attachment.
An airship covered with waterproof canvas and fitted with propellers at its bow and stern, which will work like oars in water, is being built by an airship company in Cleveland, O. These strange appliances have been added in order to prevent it from sinking in case it should fall into water. The builder, Carl Bostel, says he expects to be able to carry from six to twenty passengers in the airship and will provide a compartment for baggage.

A Pennsylvania man has solved the relative-in-law problem. When his wife's family visit his home and stay overtime he charges board and has them arrested if they refuse to pay. In this way relatives-in-law can do much toward making happy homes.—Baltimore American.

If people with symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble could realize their danger they would without loss of time commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. This great remedy stops the pain and the irregularities, strengthens and builds up these organs and there is no danger of Bright's disease or other serious disorder. Do not disregard the early symptoms. H. P. Dunn. mwf

CELEBRATED ITS ANNIVERSARY

Northwestern Hospital Entertained Friends and Former Patients Saturday Evening.

The grounds of the Northwestern hospital were brilliantly lighted with Chinese lanterns and the lawn dotted with groups of people who had gathered there to celebrate the first anniversary of the opening of the hospital. There had been invitations extended to all who had been patients during the past year and about 125 responded and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

There was a short program of music, a very pleasant feature being the beautiful singing of Mrs. Swantze, of Minneapolis. Light refreshments were also served.

The hospital, which closed its first year on Saturday night, has been successful beyond the expectations of Dr. Nicholson, its founder and proprietor. There were 297 patients cared for during the year, counting only those who were there two nights or more in succession, and making no account of treatment of emergency patients or parties coming to the hospital for medicine. Not a death has occurred in surgical cases and only four deaths among medical cases, a record seldom equaled.

The hospital, as heretofore stated, is thoroughly up-to-date, and has just installed a new X-ray coil and high frequency outfit, such as is being placed in the leading hospitals of the country today. Dr. H. F. Peterson, who recently came from Minneapolis to assist Dr. Nicholson, is an expert pathologist and an up-to-date laboratory is being placed in the hospital, and will be presided over by him.

A patient who was quite a center of attraction was Jacob Nesheim, who recently underwent a successful surgical operation at the advanced age of over 85 years.

How's This?

We offer one Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and have perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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TRIBUTE TO DR. HUNTINGTON

Jews Remember Episcopal Clergyman's Sympathy in Kishineff Massacre.

To the Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington, rector of Grace church, New York city, who recently died at Nahant, Mass., Annette Kahn of New York pays the following tribute:

In the death of Dr. William R. Huntington the Protestant Episcopal church mourns the loss of a good Christian, a valuable and hardworking clergyman and a fine man.

But Dr. Huntington had a wider humanity, a spirit of truer religion and a finer manhood than can be confined within the bounds of any theological sect or creed. He was a cosmopolitan citizen of the world to whom all men were brothers and whose noble heart was touched by the sufferings and sorrows of any of God's children, whatever their faith, their race or their country.

At the time of the great Russian massacre at Kishineff, that electrified the civilized world, when 70,000 Russian Jews marched in funeral procession up Broadway, New York, bewailing with dirges the loss of kinsmen and compatriots, it was Dr. Huntington who ordered the funeral bells of Grace church to be tolled during the entire long day of that weird and solemn funeral procession while he stood with bared head watching it pass the church.

It was a fine and sympathetic act, noble in its simplicity, simple in its great nobility.

When the writer of this tribute expressed appreciation of this friendly sympathy to Dr. Greer, the bishop of the diocese, the good bishop disclaimed any personal responsibility for it, saying that "all the credit belonged to Dr. Huntington, for the act was his own entirely, though the good doctor had his highest commendation for having conceived it."

The Jewish population not only of New York, but of the United States, were deeply moved by this touching token of sympathy and fellowship.

Today as a body they join his family, his church and the Christian community in mourning his death and revering his memory.

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution and develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble. H. P. Dunn. mwf

Wild Apples.

In the Sandwich Islands the apple has become wild, and whole forests of trees, many acres in extent, are found in various parts of the country. They extend from the level of the sea far up into the mountain sides. It is said that miles of these apple forests can occasionally be seen, and very beautiful they are, both when in flower and in fruit.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. H. P. Dunn. mwf

LOCAL BASE BALL

Brainerd Defeated Little Falls.

A team composed in part of the city team and in part from the Brewsters, defeated Little Falls in that city Sunday afternoon. The battery for the home team was Parker and White, and Little Falls was entirely unable to connect with White's twirls, while the Brainerd boys knocked Newman, Little Falls' crack pitcher, entirely out of the box, and the substitute was handled about as roughly. The score was 13 to 3 in favor of the Brainerd team.

Pine Tree Gun Club.

The Club held its shoot at Swartz's driving park.

J. Brant.....	18 18
R. Wicklund.....	16 12
F. Gallup.....	17 17
O. Erickson.....	13 11
R. Erickson.....	18 9
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H. Kalland.....	19 18
H. Harris.....	12
A. Anderson.....	7 3
R. Long.....	21
R. L. Long.....	18 20
T. Miller.....	13 15
H. Kalland.....	8
H. Anderson.....	17

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TO CHECK THE DRUG HABIT.

State Department Preparing Legislation—Plan Worldwide Crusade.

The drug trade of the United States, so far as it is habit forming, is to be taken in hand by the government. In co-operation with the various states the federal government intends to stop the great increase in the sales of those drugs that lower the physical and moral standing of the people. Opium, morphine, cocaine, chloral and similar distillations are to be placed under the severest inspection. The state department at Washington is now engaged in drawing up legislation to prevent the spread of the drug habit by eliminating the cause.

It is the intention of this government to make the crusade worldwide. Hamilton Wright, the American delegate on the opium commission which has been sitting in Pekin, is drawing up plans for a conference of the principal governments at The Hague to take up the question of not only excluding opium (except that intended for medicinal purposes), but also the other deleterious drugs to which a large number of the people of all countries have turned as offering a surcease from the troubles of life and which sap the user's energies and abet crime.

It is the intention of the state department at the same time to bring about reform by placing the manufacture and importation of habit forming drugs under the inspection of some division of the government which will be held responsible for the results. It is now believed that the best custodian of the trust would be the bureau of internal revenue, but this question has not been settled. The federal government, however, will not rest with inhibiting the interchange of such drugs between states. It will place at the command of the health departments of the various states the information it gathers, so that local traffic in such drugs may be checked and ultimately eliminated.

Telephoning to Stop a Runaway.

Telephones were utilized to good advantage in stopping a runaway on a country road near Waukesha, in Walla-Walla county, Wash., southwest of Spokane, and probably saved Bonny M., a standard trotter with a mark of 2:16, from injury by barbed wire fences. While the driver was exercising it on the city park track a few days ago the horse broke and started to set a new record along the road, heading for the Shell ranch, three miles distant. Instead of following the animal the driver went to the park telephone and advised the owner and other ranchers along the route to watch for a runaway. Several of them responded, and the horse was brought to a standstill before serious damage resulted. The animal is valued at \$3,000. This is said to be the first instance in which the telephone was pressed into service in that part of the country for similar use, though stockmen have used the instrument to call out assistance to check cattle stampedes.

Many people with chronic throat and lung trouble have found comfort and relief in Foley's Honey and Tar as it cures stubborn coughs after other treatment has failed. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." H. P. Dunn. mwf

DEATH OF L. FASSETT

For Many Years a Resident of the Town of Garrison, Died at Riceville, Iowa, Saturday.

Word has been received here of the death of L. Fassett, which occurred at the home of his son-in-law, H. A. Russell, at Riceville, Iowa, Saturday morning of cancer of the stomach. Mr. Fassett and his aged wife, who had been residents of the town of Garrison for 28 years, went to Iowa about four months ago to make their home with their daughter, Mrs. Russell, because the increasing infirmities of old age and his illness made their residence alone unsafe. Mrs. Fassett is also seriously ill. E. E. Warren, of east Brainerd, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fassett, left for Riceville Saturday night, and it is not known yet whether or not the remains will be brought here for burial. Frank Russell, Mrs. Perry Varner and Charles Warren, of this city, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Fassett, and W. A. Warren, of Midland, is their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Fassett were well-known and very highly esteemed throughout the eastern part of Crow Wing county, and the news of his death and her illness will be received with profound regret by their many friends.

BRIAND'S RAPID RISE.

New French Premier Is a Socialist and a Man of Studious Habits.

The rise of Aristide Briand, the new premier of France, has been so rapid that the biographical dictionaries have not had time to notice him. The most recorded outside of France about him is contained in newspaper clippings, which feature his work on the legislation separating the church and state in France and, most talked about of all, his declaration for trial marriages, divorce by mutual agreement and free love.

The latest edition of the French "Who's Who" says that M. Briand was born in Nantes on March 28, 1862, and that he attended school in that city.

There is no mention of university training, but he became a lawyer.

He was elected to represent the Loire in the chamber of deputies. Five years ago he was known only among his own party, the Socialists.

He was appointed reporter of the church and state separation bill and soon became recognized as a high authority on the subject. He aimed to draw up a bill broadly liberal in spirit, but devoid of fanaticism, and designed to assure freedom of worship and conscience.

For his work on that bill he was elevated to the post of minister of public instruction and worship in 1906.

During the church and state troubles he acted with firmness and moderation, and after the death of M. Guyot-Dessaigne on Dec. 31, 1907, he was appointed minister of justice, retaining also the ministry of worship.

It was last year that his name got in the newspapers as one who favored trial marriages, divorce by mutual agreement and free love. Early in the year Paul Bourget's play, "Un Divorce," presented at the Vaudeville in Paris, caused a sensation. It dealt with the divorce question, holding that marriage was a sacrament and fulfilling against the idea of divorce.

Though the Bourget play preached against the ideas of the minister of justice last year, votes taken every night in the very theater in which it was produced were overwhelmingly in favor of M. Briand's ideas as against those of M. Bourget.

M. Briand is a man of studious disposition and only won a reputation among his associates as a scholar. He adopted the doctrines of the Revolutionary Socialists early in life and is the author of "The Separation of the Church and the State," published in 1906.

Club of "Merry Widowers."

In Austin, Ill., twenty-five men whose wives are out of town have organized the Merry Widowers' club, says a Chicago dispatch. The object is to have a good time while the wives are away. "The club," said a member, "is organized for a harmless good time for men who cannot get away. Our wives know about it—that is, most of them."

Polyglot Newspaper.

A polyglot newspaper printed in a dozen languages is to be established by the United Societies For Local Self Government For the Advancement of the Home Rule and Personal Liberty Principles, says a Chicago dispatch. The publication is to be issued weekly and at the start is to be printed in English, German, Polish, Bohemian and Italian, the intention being to extend the editions until every nationality represented in the society has an issue printed in its own language.

Fisherman's Luck.

Thinking to have some fun with Anthony Tomanno, a cook in an Allhurst (N. J.) hotel, his friends recently rigged up a fishing outfit consisting of a bent wire at the end of a piece of string and sent him to the beach. They came trawling along just in time to see him land a channel bass weighing twenty-three pounds.

Delay in taking Foley's Kidney Remedy if you have backache, kidney or bladder trouble, fastens the disease upon you and makes a cure more difficult. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today and you will soon be well. Why risk a serious malady? H. P. Dunn. mwf

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CUT IT OUT!

Brander Matthews voiced his opinion that correct language is that language currently used. If that be right, certain teacher in a Manhattan school was wrong when she indignantly vented her dislike of slang. But the wrong was more her own than the scholars she reproved. During playtime she had listened to the conversation of a number of the boys and noticed a predominance in their speech of American as it is spoken. Forthwith she assembled the offenders.

"Boys," she announced, "I wish you would use better language. I find you much addicted to using slang. Remember that we attend school to learn proper words to use. Slang is detestable. Hereafter you will have to cut it out."

And for a

REVOLT IS NOT SUPPRESSED

Fighting Continues in Barcelona and Vicinity.

CLAIM THE TROUBLE IS OVER

Spanish Officials Assert That the Revolution is Ended, While a Far Different Story Emanates From the Frontier—Prowling Bands of Workmen Control Highways of Barcelona Province.

London, Aug. 2.—A dispatch received here by a news agency from Cerbere, France, reports that the revolutionists have proclaimed a republic in Barcelona and that the Fortress Montjuich is constantly firing upon the districts occupied by them.

The shooting was done by William Waggoner, a special police officer. Waggoner and two other special officers had gained entrance to the house and with pistols drawn had about twelve men standing with their hands up.

Burge and Cornett, plain clothes men, came up the steps and Waggoner, not knowing them, ordered their hands up. Burge and Cornett refused and drew pistols. Waggoner then fired five shots.

A Prohibited Inscription.
In the west cloister of Westminster abbey, in the oldest part of the building, imbedded in the pavement is a slab of marble marking the grave of John Broughton, who was a boxer in the abbey for more than thirty years and before he obtained the situation was the champion prizefighter of Great Britain, holding the belt for more than twelve years. The guides who show people around the abbey say that when he was buried in the cloister some of his admirers wanted to immortalize him with an appropriate epitaph, and they indicate a blank space under his name which was left for the inscription, "For twelve years champion prizefighter of England," but it was prohibited.—Argonaut.



KING ALFONSO.

Between the troops and the revolutionists continues fiercely.

It is reported that forty revolutionists have been shot without trial at the Montjuich fortress, among them being Emilio Iglesias, editor of the *Progreso*, the organ of Deputy Leroux, chief of the Republicans in Barcelona.

STORY FROM THE FRONTIER

Different From That Related by Spanish Officials.

Paris, Aug. 2.—Although official Spain minimizes the Catalonian insurrection and insists that the revolt has been crushed, a far different story emanates from the frontier. Refugees and travelers declare that the revolt is still rampant and that desperate combats continue at Barcelona, where fifty revolutionists are reported to have been wounded in a conflict which occurred as late as Saturday night.

Information concerning the actual situation in Barcelona and the rest of the province is more scarce than ever before. Although some of the news from the frontier is from revolutionary sources, and therefore open to suspicion, most reliable intelligence leads to the belief that although Barcelona is calmer, the revolutionists have taken to the suburbs and the outlying country, where they are sowing the seeds of revolt and inflaming the populace to maintain the struggle to the bitter end.

Barcelona province is in the hands of prowling bands of workmen, heavily armed, who occupy the railroads and highways to prevent communication and who refuse entrance to newcomers.

Casan de la Selva is in the hands of the revolutionists, and at Palamós, where the monastery was fired upon and the monks tortured, the situation is described as alarming and the lives of foreigners endangered.

The opinion in semi-official circles here concerning Spain's internal situation is pessimistic and the belief is expressed that the trouble is not yet over. Official Madrid announces that Barcelona is tranquil, but qualifies this statement with the words, "this is especially so in the center of the city."

From Melilla comes the news of another Spanish convoy being ambushed and several of its officers being wounded before the troops succeeded in extricating themselves from the attack of the tribesmen.

Rumors are afoot that a general strike will be launched today at Madrid, and that a strike is being organized in the Biscayan region. All persons subject to military duty are forbidden to leave Spain, under grave penalty, and elaborate measures have been adopted to forestall a possible outbreak in the other provinces of the country.

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IN RAID ON GAMBLING HOUSE

City Detective Shot and Probably Fatally Wounded.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 2.—William C. Burge, a city detective, was shot through the lung and probably fatally wounded during a raid on an alleged gambling house here. Detective D. H. Cornett, who accompanied him, was fired upon, but escaped injury.

The shooting was done by William Waggoner, a special police officer. Waggoner and two other special officers had gained entrance to the house and with pistols drawn had about twelve men standing with their hands up.

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BLERIOT'S GREAT FEAT

French Aeronaut's Own Story of Flight Over English Channel.

DROPPED CRUTCHES TO DO IT.

Daring Aviator Lost His Way in the Air—Ten Minutes Out of Sight of Land, With No Guide but Machine's Direction—Outdistanced Swift Torpedo Boat and Landed Safely.

M. Louis Bleriot, one of the pioneers in French aviation, who recently crossed the English channel in his small monoplane from Les Barques, near Calais, France, to the North Foreland meadow near Dover, England, in a little over thirty minutes, winning the London Daily Mail's prize of \$5,000, describes his remarkable flight as follows:

"I rose at 2:30 Sunday morning, July 25, and, finding that the conditions were favorable, ordered the torpedo boat destroyer Escopette, which had been placed at my disposal by the French government, to start. Then I went to the garage at Sangatte and found that the motor worked well. At 4 a.m. I took my seat in the aeroplane and made a trial flight around Calais of some fifteen kilometers (over nine miles), descending at the spot chosen for the start across the channel.

"Here I waited for the sun to come out, the conditions of the Daily Mail prize requiring that I fly between sunrise and sunset. At 4:30 daylight had come, but it was impossible to see the coast. A light breeze from the southwest was blowing the air clear, however, and everything was prepared.

"I was dressed in a khaki jacket lined with wool for warmth over my tweed clothes and beneath my engineer's suit of blue cotton overalls. A close fitting cap was fastened over my head and ears. I had neither eaten nor drunk anything since I rose. My thoughts were only upon the flight and my determination to accomplish it this morning.

Flight Begun at 4:35.

"At 4:35 all's ready. My friend Le Blance gives the signal, and in an instant I am in the air, my engine making 1,200 revolutions, almost its highest speed, in order that I may get quickly over the telegraph wires along the edge of the cliff. As soon as I am over the cliff I reduce speed. There is now no need to force the engine. I begin my flight, steady and sure, toward the coast of England. I have no apprehensions, no sensations—pas Gu tout—not at all.

"The Escopette has seen me. She is driving ahead at full speed. She makes perhaps forty-two kilometers (twenty-six miles) an hour. What matters it? I am making at least sixty-eight kilometers (over forty-two miles). Rapidly I overtake her, traveling at a height of eighty meters (260 feet). Below me is the surface of the sea, disturbed by the wind, which is now freshening. The motion of the waves beneath me is not pleasant. I drive on.

Lost For Ten Minutes.

"Ten minutes are gone. I have passed the destroyer, and I turn my head to see whether I am proceeding in the right direction. I am amazed. There is nothing to be seen, neither the torpedo boat destroyer nor France nor England. I am alone; I can see nothing at all. For ten minutes I am lost. It is a strange position to be in, alone, guided without a compass in the air over the middle of the channel. I touch nothing. My hands and feet rest lightly on the levers. I let the aeroplane take its own course. I care not whither it goes.

Sees England's Cliffs.

"For ten minutes I continue, neither rising nor falling nor turning, and then, twenty minutes after I have left the French coast, I see green cliffs and Dover castle and away to the west the spot where I had intended to land.

"What can I do? It is evident the wind has taken me out of my course. I am almost at St. Margaret's bay, going in the direction of Goodwin sands.

"Now it is time to attend to the steering. I press a lever with my foot and turn easily toward the west, reversing the direction in which I am traveling. Now I am in difficulties, for the wind here by the cliffs is much stronger and my speed is reduced as

I fight against it, yet my beautiful aeroplane responds still steadily.

"I fly westward, chopping across the harbor, and reach Shakespeare cliff. I see an opening in the cliff. Although I am confident I can continue for an hour and a half, that I might indeed, return to Calais, I cannot resist the opportunity to make a landing upon this green spot.

Safe on England's Shore.

"Once more I turn my aeroplane and, describing a half circle, I enter the opening and find myself again over dry land. Avoiding the red buildings on my right, I attempt a landing, but the wind catches me and whirls me around two or three times. At once I stop my motor, and instantly my machine falls straight upon the ground from a height of twenty meters (seventy-five feet). In two or three seconds I am safe upon your shore.

"Soldiers in khaki run up and policemen. Two of my compatriots are on the spot. They kiss my cheeks. The conclusion of my flight overwhelms me.

"Thus ended my flight across the channel—a flight which could easily be done again. Shall I do it? I think not. I have promised my wife that after a race for which I have already entered I will fly no more."

M. Louis Bleriot is one of the oldest and most popular aviators in France and is the winner of the Osiris prize of \$20,000 in conjunction with Gabriel Voisin, the aeroplane manufacturer, for their contributions to the progress of aviation. Only recently he was decorated with the Legion of Honor. He is a graduate of the celebrated Technical school of France. He is the inventor of a searchlight for automobiles and became interested in the problems of aviation in 1900. He sold out his factory in Orleans and came to Paris. Since then he has devoted his time to aviation and made countless experiments, crippling his resources to a great extent.

Bleriot's Recklessness Notorious.

Throughout his career Bleriot has displayed such reckless daring that his friends have all predicted that he would be killed. He has had numerous accidents and broken a dozen machines, but has never been dismayed by misfortune. He made his first cross country flight from Toury to Arthenay, made a flight of one hour at Doue, and on July 13 made a new record for cross country from Etampes to Orleans.

After Latham failed in his attempt to cross the channel Bleriot hurried to Calais to try his luck, announcing subsequently that he intended to make a cross country flight of 100 kilometers (sixty-two miles) from Evreux to Orleans without a stop. M. Bleriot is exceedingly cool and has always maintained that a man that kept his head could not be seriously injured. "In case of accident," he has said, "I throw myself on one of the wings; that breaks the wing but it saves me."

When M. Bleriot flew away from the shores of France he left behind a pair of crutches on which he had been hobbling about up to the moment of taking his seat in his monoplane and a group of spectators filled with admiration at the man's daring, but fearful of his fate.

South Sea Swells.

Readers of old narratives of exploration in the south seas will recall the frequent references to the heavy swells of the ocean, which impressed the navigators with the idea of their remoteness from land. Dr. Vaughan Cornish explains the great size of the sea waves in high southern latitudes by the fact that south of the Cape of Good Hope and Cape Horn there is neither windward nor leeward shore and the prevailing wind in all longitudes is westerly. Thus when a west wind springs up it finds a long westerly swell, the effect of a previous wind, still running. The newborn wind increases the steepness of this swell and so forms majestic storm waves, which sometimes attain a length of 1,200 feet from crest to crest. The average height attained by sea waves in feet is about half the velocity of the wind in miles per hour.

Generous.

"It is only right that I should tell you," she said, "that father has lost all."

"Not all!" he exclaimed.

"Yes, all," she asserted. "No," he said firmly, "not all. You are still left to him. I could not be so cruel as to add to his misfortunes. Tell him—tell him from me that my generosity impels me to leave him what little lies in my power."

THREE MORE ARE EXPECTED TO DIE

Explosion in St. Paul May Result in Nine Fatalities.

St. Paul, Aug. 2.—The death of two more women is expected hourly, while the injuries of another man are considered probably fatal, as the result of the explosion of an acetylene gas tank at 81 West Third street Saturday afternoon, when the lives of six persons were instantly snuffed out.

Mrs. Martina Christensen, aged thirty-nine years, and Mrs. Mathilda Johannes, aged thirty-four years, both claiming 522 West Minnehaha street as their residence, are lying in a critical condition at St. Joseph's hospital.

Mrs. Christensen has a fractured skull and has not recovered consciousness since she was taken to the hospital. She is also suffering from other severe injuries.

Mrs. Johannes is badly cut on the head and has many other hurts, besides being painfully burned. Her injuries are so severe that her condition is considered extremely critical.

Joseph Gagnon, whose wife was burned to death in their room at 77½ West Third street, is suffering from a wrenched